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Title	RECORDING AND REPRODUCING SYSTEM, RECORDING AND REPRODUCING METHOD, PROGRAM AND RECORD MEDIUM
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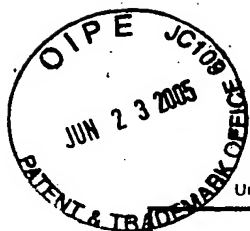
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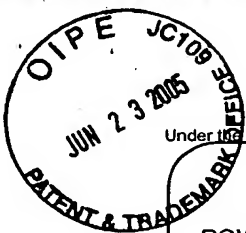
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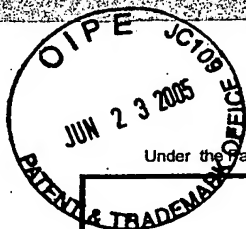
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